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Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement in the Office action mailed 04/06/2005 from the Patent and Trademark Office regarding the above-identified patent application, Applicants elect to prosecute Species 1, claims 1-2, 4-28, and 34-35. Applicants withdraw the non-elected claims 29-31, 33, and 36-43.

Respectfully submitted,

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